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**Mail Stop Amendment
Confirmation No. 7542**

In re application of : J. M. LEFEBVRE-DESPEAUX et al. Attorney Docket No. P25672
Serial No. : 10/509,326 Group Art Unit : 1797
I.A Filed : April 24, 2003 Examiner : Soderquist
For : METHOD OF DETECTING AND LOCATING TRACES OF BLOOD AND A COMPOUND
FOR DETECTING TRACES OF BLOOD

Mail Stop Amendment

Commissioner for Patents
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office
Customer Service Window, Mail Stop Amendment
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a **Response under 37 C.F.R. 1.111** in the above-captioned application.

☒ Small Entity Status of this application under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a previously filed statement.

☐ A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.

☒ An Information Disclosure Statement, PTO Form 1449, and references cited.

☒ Declaration of J. M. LEFEBVRE-DESPEAUX

☐ No additional fee is required.

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| Claims After Amendment | No. Claims Previously Paid For | Present Extra | Small Entity | | Other Than A Small Entity | |
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| Total Claims: 27 | *33 | 0 | X25= | \$ | x 50= | \$0.00 |
| Indep. Claims: 1 | **3 | 0 | X105= | \$ | X210= | \$0.00 |
| Multiple Dependent Claims Presented | | | +185= | \$ | +370= | \$0.00 |
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